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County Seeking Community Input on Multi-Year Health Improvement Plan

PHOENIX (January 25, 2017) - Maricopa County Department of Public Health (MCDPH) is seeking the public's input on defining its health priorities for a three-year plan that will be implemented starting in 2018. Various public meetings are being held throughout the county where the public will be presented with the top 10 health priorities that have come out of this year's assessment and asked to whittle them down to the top 3-5.

"This has been a collaborative process every step of the way. Over the last year, our team, along with various partners, has been gathering information from residents of Maricopa County in the form of surveys and focus groups," said Dr. Bob England, director of Maricopa County Public Health. "Our final step is to go back to the community with all that we have heard and ask for their assistance in completing our second community health assessment in 5 years."

All sessions will provide snacks & refreshments, free childcare service, Spanish interpretation and are ADA-accessible.

Interested community members should attend any one of the public forums listed below:

East Valley	Thursday, February 2 nd	Mesa Community College
	5:00PM – 7:30PM	Navajo Room (located by the Kirk Student Center)
		1833 West Southern Avenue
		Mesa, AZ 85202
Sunnyslope	Thursday, February 9 th	HonorHealth
	5:00PM – 7:30PM	Cowden Center
	No Spanish translation	9202 N 2 nd Street
	No childcare	Phoenix, AZ 85020
West Valley	Thursday, February 16 th	Estrella Mountain Community College
	5:00PM – 7:30PM	Center for Teaching and Learning (located at the north
		end of Montezuma Hall)
		3000 North Dysart Road
		Avondale, AZ 85392
South Phoenix	Tuesday, February 21st	Roosevelt Wellness Center
	5:00PM – 7:30PM	1030 E. Baseline Rd
		Phoenix, AZ 85042

West Valley	Tuesday, February 28 th	Surprise City Hall
	5:00PM – 7:30PM	Community Room
	No Spanish translation	16000 N Civic Center Plaza
		Surprise, AZ 85374

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More information

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